Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon.—(a) Yes.

(b) Along Palluruthi to Manthra road.
" Main bazaar road up to boundary.
" Jew Town road.
" Manthra road.
" Pandikudi road.
" Karipalam road.
" Bridge road.
From Manthra to Mathampilli.
Along Palluruthi to temple landing.

(c) 1105 and 1106 16,595 feet.
1107 10,562 "

The expenditure incurred on the Mattancheri Water Works during the 3 years is given below:—

	Rs.	As.	Ps.
1105	56,878	15	0
1106	1,908	10	0
1107	22,557	4	0

Canal Department.

450. Mr. P. Krishna Menon.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(1) the average annual income and establishment charge in the same;

(2) the amount, if any, spent for improvement of Canal Navigation in the years 1107 and 1108 in the way of deepening, straightening canals or putting up of jetties, etc., with the amount spent under each head;

(3) are not lights or marks set up to show ingress to the canal from the backwater;

(4) are there not many canals between Panagal on the south and Pallipuram on the north to which ingress is from the backwater;

(5) does not the department consider such lights or marks necessary for navigation;

(6) are not the fishing rights in these canals annually sold in auction;

(7) do not the purchasers put up nets leaving but a small space in the canal for catching fish ;

(8) do not such nets interfere with free navigation ?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon.—(1) Income Rs. 29,000 nearly. Establishment charges Rs. 11,000.

(2) Deepening and straightening canals Rs. 1,000.
Putting up jetties Rs. 4,700.

(3) Arrangements are being made to put up lights at important canal mouths.

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(4) Yes.

(5) Yes. Please see answer to (3)

(6), (7) and (8) The remarks of the Diwan Peishkar have been urgently called for.

Mr. M. A. Chakko.—(2) May I know which were the canals deepened?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon.—Thevara canal.

Mr. M. A. Chakko.—(3) May I know what was the result of the arrangements?

Mr. V. K. Aravindaksha Menon.—Arrangements are almost complete.

Persons adversely affected by the present Note to Standing Order No. 16 of the Government of Cochin.

451. Mr. P. Raman Menon.—Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(a) the number and the names of those adversely affected;

(b) the number and the names of those beneficially affected among Registrars who were holding only acting posts on 1st Thulam 1108 by the present Note to Standing Order No. 16;

(c) among those who are adversely affected, how many are recruits from the bar and who are they?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—(a) The information so far collected is appended. (*Appendix VIII.*)

(b) Mr. K. Kuruvilla.
„ P. Gopala Kaimal.

(c) 4. (1) Mr. C. S. Ikkanda Warriar.
(2) „ P. V. Mathew.
(3) „ P. K. Kumaran.
(4) „ K. Ranga Mallya.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.— In the list of names of those who are adversely affected by the amendment to S. O. No. 16 four names are given. May I know whether all of them are still adversely affected? Is not one among them already confirmed and the adverse effect of the order thereby nullified?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—One of them has been confirmed.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—May I know who it is?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—First one.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—May I know the circumstances under which the adverse effect of the Standing Order was got over?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—This does not mean that he hould not be confirmed.

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